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(Ireland.)

COPY of the REPORT of the Board of Civil
Engineers, which sat at N^o 21, Mary-street,
Dublin, from 23d December 1817 to the 19th
January 1818.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, to be Printed, 23 January 1818.

IN Obedience to His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's Warrant, of the 22d day of December last, appointing us the Board of Civil Engineers under the Act of the 57th year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for the more deliberate Investigation of Presentments, &c. &c." We, on the 23d day of the same month, proceeded to examine the several Candidates for the Office of County Surveyors; an Advertisement dated the 12th having been previously inserted in the several Dublin Newspapers, intimating that the Examinations would commence on or about the 22d aforesaid; on this day we also published another Advertisement, requesting each Candidate to send in his address in Dublin to the Board, in order that notice might be sent when his attendance would be required; and Notices were accordingly sent to those who gave their address.

The Board continued to sit from ten o'clock in the morning till four in the afternoon, and from six to nine in the evening, and spared no pains in fully and impartially investigating the qualifications of all those who presented themselves. But, as sundry names had been sent in without any address, and others neglected to attend, although repeated Notices had been sent to the addresses furnished, a third Advertisement was inserted on the 7th instant, stating these circumstances, and requesting all who were desirous of undergoing an Examination, to attend on or before the 10th instant; and still, as the Board was desirous to afford ample time, the Examinations were continued until the 19th instant.

But, upon the whole of this painful and tedious investigation, finding so very few of the great number who presented themselves, possessed of the necessary experience and practical knowledge in Road-making and Bridge-building, which form the chief portions of the duty of County Surveyors, the Board has not granted any Certificates; and is of opinion that no advantageous proceedings can be taken under that Clause of the Act by which it is appointed.

(Signed) *Thos Telford.*
Alexr Taylor.
Francis Johnston.

Dublin,
21st January 1818.

Annexed are Copies of the Advertisements referred to in this Report.

Copies of ADVERTISEMENTS referred to in the foregoing Report.

NOTICE

To Persons desirous of becoming Candidates for the Office of
COUNTY SURVEYOR.

BY an Act of the last Session of Parliament, intituled, "An Act to provide for the more deliberate investigation of Presentments to be made by Grand Juries, for Roads and Public Works, in *Ireland*, and for accounting for Money raised by such Presentments," it is stated, sect. 7, p. 887, that, for each County, a Surveyor of Public Works, be named and appointed from time to time, by the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* for the time being, in writing under his or their hand or hands, and to be removable by the Lord Lieutenant; provided always, that no person shall be appointed to be such Surveyor of Public Works, unless he shall have been previously examined by a Board of Civil Engineers in Dublin, and shall have obtained a Certificate from such Board, pursuant to the said Act:—

This is to give Notice, That a Board of Civil Engineers, for the purpose aforesaid, will meet in Dublin, on or about the 22d instant.

Dublin Castle,
12th day of December 1817.

COUNTY SURVEYORS.

ALL Persons who are desirous of offering themselves as Candidates for the office of County Surveyor, are requested to immediately send their address, in Dublin, to the office of the Commissioners appointed under the Act, at the Paving House, N° 21, Mary-street, as no application will be received after 12 o'clock on Saturday the 27th instant.

After receiving the several addresses, Notice will be sent by the Commissioners, to the several Candidates, of the time their attendance will be necessary.

Paving House, 21, Mary-street,
22d December 1817.

N. B. This Advertisement appeared in all the Dublin Newspapers, from the 22d to the 25th December, both inclusive.

NOTICE

To Candidates for COUNTY SURVEYORSHIPS.

SEVERAL Persons having sent in their Names to the Board of Engineers appointed for examining Candidates, some of whom have not attended in pursuance to the requisitions sent to their address for that purpose, and others having given no address with their names, the attendance of these Persons is hereby immediately required, as no Examination can be entered on, after Saturday the 10th instant.

21, Mary-street,
January 6th, 1818.

N. B. This Advertisement appeared in all the Dublin Newspapers, from the 7th to the 9th January, both inclusive.

(A true Copy.)

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(Ireland)

Copy of the REPORT of the Board of Civil
Engineers, which sat at No 31, Mary-street,
Dublin, from 29th December 1817, to the 19th
January 1818.

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